

December 14, 1934

My dear Mrs. Phillips:

Thank you for your kindness in sending me this ancient lease of Hess and Tarbell. My sister who takes care of family affairs of this kind will be greatly interested in it and I know if she were here she would ask me to add her thanks to mine.

I am glad to know you are in touch with Mr. Scheide regarding the Drake Library. It is, I feel sure, the proper place for oil documents. Not only will they be well cared for there but the collection is already so substantial that there is an opportunity to relate one thing to another most important in tracing the development of a country.

Thanking you again for your generosity in the matter of the Hess and Tarbell lease which I suspect will find its way to the Drake Library one of these days with a few other papers that we have, believe me

Very sincerely yours

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Mrs. H. F. Phillips  
Pensacola, Oil City, Pa.